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In re Application of:

Vogels et al.

Serial No.: 09/444,284

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For: GENE DELIVERY VECTORS PROVIDED WITH A TISSUE TROPISM FOR SMOOTH MUSCLE CELLS, AND/OR

**ENDOTHELIAL CELLS** 

Examiner: C. Drabik

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### **Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed 11 April 2001, please amend the referenced application as follow:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please incorporate substitute page 23 submitted herewith into the application.

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